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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced Patent Application:

1. Petition for Five (5) Month Extension of Time.

The payment has been made by Credit Card covering the required fees. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 23/2825, under Docket No. N0400.70001US01.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. This extension is being filed to create copendency between this application and a divisional application being filed on even date herewith under separate cover.

Dated: December 24, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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